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TO AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

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TAGS: EIND, BPRO, MR US

SUBJECT: LANG/PRITCHARD SUGAR REFINERY

REF: NOUAKCHOTT 939

1. LANG/PRITCHARD TEAM LED BY LANG DIRECTOR GENERAL HOFKER PLANS VISIT NOUAKCHOTT LATE JULY FOR FACE-TO-FACE NEGOTIATIONS WITH MINISTER SIDI ON SUGAR REFINERY CONTRACT COST INCREASES. ACCORDING TO PRITCHARD ENGINEER BUNNETTA, COMPANY MUST GET A LEAST DOLLARS FIVE MILLION MORE OR IT PROBABLY WILL BE OBLIGED DROP CONTRACT DUE SPIRALING ENGINEERING AND EQUIPMENT COSTS BEYOND ITS CONTROL.

2. OTHER ISSUES FOR DISCUSSION WILL INCLUDE SOME DOLLARS SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND IN PROGRESS PAYMENTS GIRM STILL OWES LANG AND OUTSTANDING LETTER OF CREDIT WHICH PRITCHARD NEEDS TO BEGIN EQUIPMENT PURCHASES. BOTH LANG/PRITCHARD AND GIRM WASHINGTON LAWYER MIDDLETON ALSO CONCERNED THAT GIRM HAS YET TO SUBMIT TO EXIM BANK PAPERWORK REQUIRED FOR EXIM LOAN AND LOAN GUARANTEE FOR SUGAR PROJECT.

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